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REMARKS

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the detailed remarks and the allowance of claims 8-16, 21-26, 28 and 29. The remaining non-allowed claims have been cancelled.

Applicant respectfully submits that this case is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that a teleconference will facilitate moving this case forward to being issued, Applicant's representative can be contacted at the number indicated below. Should any fees or extensions be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C.

Respectfully Submitted,

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